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## Amendment Response/Transmittal

In re application of: John W. Cole

Serial No. 09/756,939

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For: FERRIS-WHEEL QUEUE

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment  
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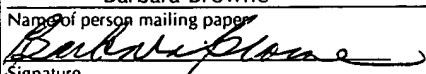
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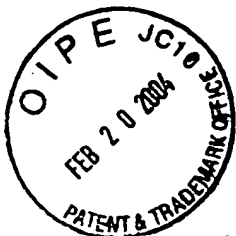
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed November 19, 2003, please amend the application as follows: